With Majority of 374 Richardson Captures Nomination Defeating Mayor After Fierce Struggle at the Polls

BRYAN MEN FORCE NAVY SAFEGUARD CONVENTION FIGHT FOR NATION'S PEACE

gates to Denver Be Instructed for Nebraskan.

LEADERS FORESTALL MOVE BY RESOLUTION

Subcommittee Reports Six to One Against Instructing for Bryan, and Full Committee Adopts Report Over Protest of Mack-Vigorous Fight on Floor.

rrow, providing for an uninstructed Convention at Denver.

The subbommittee's report, which stated that the best interests of the party would be conserved by sending an uninstructed delegation to Denver, an uninstructed delegation to Denver, was received and adopted by the committee on resolutions by a vote of 25 to 4. A minority report of the subcommittee calling for an instructed delegation was defeated by a similar vote. Nineteen members of the committee on resolutions were absent when the vote gress and attracted much attention.

Meanwhile a series of contests was being adjudicated to-night by the Committee on Credentials, and there were indications of an all-night session. The Committee on Delegates-at-Large and electors held a brief session after the adjournment of the convention and then adjourned to hold another meeting to-morrow morning. The delegates-at-large, tentatively selected, are W. J. Conners, Charles F. Murphy, Lewis Nixon and Judge Alton B. Parker.

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The opening of the convention was delayed for nearly two hours until a modification could be secured of the court order obtained by Senator McCarren to prevent his delegations from being unseated. Thomas Carmody, of Penn Yan, temporary chairman of the convention, made the opening address. With the roll-call concluded, the first move to shtu off the pasenting of names of presidential candidates before the convention was a motion made that all resolutions except those relating to routine business be referred to proper committees without being read. The motion was adopted without apparently its significance being understood, and it was not until after several routine resolutions had been adopted that a Bryan delegate made a motion to amend it by having all resolutions read before referred.

In the turmoil on the floor at the time the delegate with the amending motion was not recognized.

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Meantime, E. S. Coatesworth, of Erie sounty, had submitted a resolution that delegates to Denver be instructed for Bryan, but at this point the convention adjourned until to-morrow at noon.

The leaders opposed to an instructed delegation took cognizance of the united front which Mr. Bryan's friends were putting forward, and it was deemed advisable to have a special committee of the resolutions committee consider the claims of Mr. Bryan's friends for an instructed delegation. This subcommittee, made up of John F. Brennan, of Westchester, Chairman Norman F. Mack, of Erie; H. A. Reeves, of Suffeik; William Townsend, of Nassau; Albert Hessburg, of Albany, State Senator Thomas F. Grady, of New York, and City Cemptroller Hermann Metz, to-night.

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Insist That New York Dele- President in Stirring Message Advocates That Four Battleships Be Constructed.

> POINTS TO CHINA AS A HORRIBLE EXAMPLE

Says That United States Will Lose Its Power Among Nations if It Relapses Into Weakness. In Order to Avoid Insult Country Must Be Able to Repel It.

Navy for Peace

"I can conceive of no circumstance under which this republic would enter into an aggressive war to extend its territory or in any other manner seek material aggrandizement. I advocate mat the United States build a navy commensurate with its powers and needs, because I feel that such a navy will be the surest guaranty and safeguard of peace."—President's message.

ASHINGTON, April 14—The message of the President in support of his plan for an appropriation for four new battleships was received to-day by both houses of Congress and attracted much attention.

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Fight for Instruction.

Norman E. Mack. of Erie, moved that the Coatsworth resolution instructing the delegates for Bryan be substituted for the subcommittee's report. Mr. Mack's motion developed an earnest discussion among the committeemen, which lasted until a late hour. State Senator Thomas F. Grady made a long speech in opposition to the Coatsworth resolution. He said he was strongly of the opinion that the Democrats had a glorious chance for victory this fall, and delleved that chance would be improved if the New York delegation was uninstructed.

Mr. Mack informed the committee that if the subcommittee's report was adopted, the minority would feel compelled to put in a minority report. His motion was defeated. The subcommittee's report for an uninstructed delegation was the passed by the same vote, and the committee adjourned to meet to-morrow at 11 o'clock.

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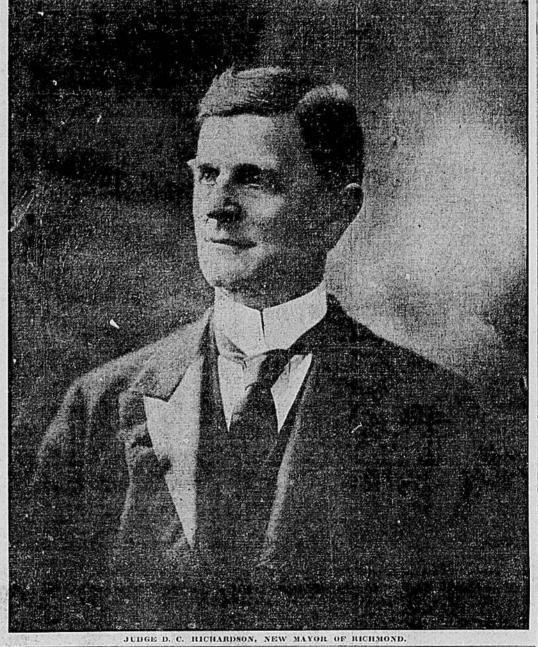
"To the Senate and House of Representatives:

"Let me again urge upon the Congress the need of providing for four battleships of the best and most advanced type at this session. Prior to the recent Hague Conference it had been my hope that an agreement could be reached between the fifterent nations to limit the increase of naval armaments, and especially to limit the size of warships. Under these circumstances I felt that the construction of one battleship a year would keep our navy up to its then positive and relative strength. But actual experience showed not merely that it was impossible to obtain such an agreement for limitation of armaments among the various leading powers, but that there was no likelihood whatever of obtaining it in the future within any reasonable time. Coincidentally with this discovery occurred a radical change in the building of battleships among the great military nations—a change in accordance with which the most modern battleships have been or are being constructed, of a size and armament which doubles or more probably trebles their efbeen or are being constructed, of a size and armament which doubles or more probably trebles their ef-

fectiveness.

"Every other great naval nation has or is beginning a number of new ships of this kind. We have provided for but two and therefore the balance of power is now inclining against us. Under these conditions, to provide for but one or two battleships a year is to provide that this nation, instead of advancing, shall go backwards in

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Successful Candidate Comments on Result of Primary

Fellow Citizens:-In this hour of apparent triumph I have no feeling of pride or exultation, but my feelings are rather of humbleness, in view of the fact that the responsibilities will be conferred upon me. I feel rather like uttering a silent prayer for strength and wisdom to discharge the duties which will devolve upon me. I hope my friends will lay aside, as I will, all animosities which may have arisen out of the campaign just ended, and cherish only feelings of harmony, and be united as Democrats in their efforts to advance the prosperity of our city.

For the friends who stood by me so loyally I entertain feelings of gratitude I cannot express, and for others who saw fit to support my opponent I have only feelings of regard.

From the bottom of my heart I thank you, and can only promise that all the energy of hand and heart and brain will be brought to bear to discharge faithfully the duties of the office to which you will elect me .- Judge D. C. Richardson, in address to voters at 2:30 o'clock this morning at Sanger Hall.

Close of Exciting Local Option Campaign in Danville, With Result in Doubt.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] DANVILLE, VA., April 14 .-- On the eve of a wet and dry election, which Jane Broden, over ers of both the prohibitionists and the anti-prohibitionists to-night expressed confidence that their respective cause would win. For the past several weeks there has been waged one of the most hotly contested campaigns in the his-tory of the city, and the final result, whatever it may be, is expected to be very close.

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The anti-saloon forces held a big temperance rally to-night, at which state Senator Seaborn Wright, of Georgia, who has been given the credit for carrying that State dry, and Mrs. Nannie Curtis, of Texas, spoke, Speakers and temperance advocates from many points have spoke here during the campaign. This afternoon there was a big parade of children and women, who were waving bunners and singing temperance songs. The ministers have also heen very active in the fight, and will be in evidence at the polls to-morrow. The women will remain away

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Judge Developed Powerful Following in Every Section of City Surprising Friends By Size of Vote.

WHISKEY ELEMENT ACTIVE AND NEW FIGHT IS FEARED

Major Cary Defeated by Saloon People and Grimes Beaten in East End for Council--Morton Goes as Delegate to Convention.

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES IN PRIMARY YESTERDAY

For Mayor---David Crockett Richardson.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN. Monroe-James A. Moncure, R. G. Rennolds.

DELEGATES TO CONVENTION. Second Marshall—N. W. Atkinson, John L. Satterfield. Fourth Jefferson—W. W. Dunford. First Lee-W. Waller Morton, M. S. Valentine. No opposition elsewhere,

Members of Common Council

Nembers of Common Council

HENRY—A. S. Buford, Jr.,* Harry Huber, George E. Wise,* R. L.
Peters, Kirkwood Mitchell.*

MONROE—John B. Billey, E. H. Spence, Frank M. Reade,* J. Randolph Tucker,* T. Francis Green.

MADISON—Julius A. Hobson, E. R. Fuller,* Gilbert K. Pollock, E. A.

Burber, Jr., James J. Burke.*

CLAY—W. Fred Richardson, John F. Don Leavy, C. P. Davis, Jacob

Umlauf, John T. Powers.*

JEFFERSON—John J. Lynch, Morgan R. Mills, C. H. Wiltshire, J. A.

Belph,* John Hirschberg.*

MARSHALL—George W. Rogers,* Charles E. Richards, Jefferson C.

Powers, James W. Gentry,* F. H. Garber.

LEE—C. L. Batkins, E. H. Fergusson, H. R. Pollard, Jr., Clyde H. Rat
cliffe,* John A. Cutchins.

INNING the nomination for Mayor over Captain McCarthy by 374 majority, after one of the hotiest campaigns in the recent history of the city, Judge D. C. Richardson was the centre of an enthusiastic gathering of voters at Sanger Hall at 2:30 o'clock this morning, and received a notable ovation when he made a brief speech expressing his gratitude for the great honor conferred upon him.

It was just ten minutes prior to this hour when First Lee reported, this being the last precinct to come in. Its unofficial figures had been secured by telephone, however, and the result was known long before it was definitely announced from the stage. Judge Richardson may indeed be said to have fairly swept the city.

He carried six out of seven wards, and, sixteen out of the twenty-four precincts, and considering the fact that but 5.612 votes were cast, his majority is considered large.

The Richardson supporters were apparently much more active and bouyant throughout the day than were the last precinct of the municipal ticket:

First Lee-M. S. Valentine, 315; W. Waller Morton, 233; C. V. Carrington, 204. (Elect two.)

Second Marshall—John L. Satterfield, 295; N. W. Atkinson, 226; E. B. White, 150; E. L. Hasker, 101. (Elect one.)

The vote in detail for the City Council follows. In the case of the Board Aldermen the vote is given only where there were contests. In each ward five members of the Council were chosen:

HENRY WARD.

Council, 1st. 2d. 3d. Total, Buford 1st. 2d. 3d. Total, 184 252 32 465.

Cary 157 195 34 385.

Huber 193 246 35 474.

Wise 157 229 33 434.

Delaney 61 90 Gates 41 48 Hirschbers 84 29 Jeter 22 84 Lynch 140 214 Mills 129 207 Reddin 103 103 J. A. Selph 82 105 M. L. Selph 43 01 Wiltshire 80 136

MARSI" " V. WARD.

Board	1st	2d
Richardson	185	355
Southern	64	44
Council	1st	2d
Carber	135	265
Gentry	83	301
Grimes	164	168
Powers	171	384
Richards	132	353

VOTE BY PRECINCTS FOR CANDIDATES IN GREAT MAYORALTY CONTEST

LEE WARD JEFFERSON WARD. MARSHALL WARD. CLAY WARD. HENRY WARD. MONROE WARD. MADISON WARD. MAYOR. Potul. 1st. 2d. 3d. 4th. Total. st. 2d. 3d. 4th. Teta 1st. 2d. 3d. 4th. Total ist. 2d. 3d. 4th. Total 1st. 2d. 3d. Total ist. 2d. 3d. Total 144 136 50 20 53 114 53 94 314 00 103 37 320 McCarthy 113 125 313 76 159 146 166 611 148 200 73 140 93 151 271 66 44 121 73 304 131 93 80 85 419 158 186 99 162 605 430 156 197 358